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Rule 10(4) at p-65 ante. The revised rule prescribed a time limit of a week within which the standing Committee shall meet to dispose of an application or reference made to it.

Rule 10(5) at p.95 ante. This revised rule also prescribes a time limit of three weeks within which the Judge shall dispose of an application made to him. Similar provisions are found in rule 20(8) of the Bombay Legislative Assembly Electoral (Preparation, Revision and Duplication of Electritoral Rolls) Rules 1936 and rule 2(2) in Chapter I in the Schedule to the Bombay Provincial Municipal Corporations Bill, 1949.

Rule 11(2) at p. 97 ante. Under this rule the time limit within which the final roll shall be published has been extended from 45 days to 65 days published from the date on which the list of voters is published. Within the extendd time limits, it would be possible t o complete all the stages of the preparation and publication of the electoral roll.

2. The revised drft rule sanctioned by the Commissioner are suitable and in order.

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Additional Secretary to Government.

U.R. to H.& L.G.D. No. 10823, dated 27th September 1949.

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Section 13 of the Bombay District Municipal Act, 1901, and of the Bombay Municipal Boroughs Act, 1925, provides for the publication in each year on the prescribed date of a new Municipal election roll. The new election roll continues in operation for a period of twelve months from the date on which it is published. Under the proviso to sub-section(1) of section 13 if a new election roll is not published in any year before the prescribed date, the roll then in operation continues in operation untill, the new roll is published. It follows from these provisions that the old municiapl election roll will have to preserved till the new election roll is published.

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Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.

U.R. to H.& L.G.D. No. 12419, dated the 4th Nov. 1949.

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